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Security Council

10 a.m. — Consultations of the whole (closed) — Consultations Room GA-TSC-02

Yemen

Other matters

3 p.m. — 6669th meeting — Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Libya

   Report of the Secretary-General on United Nations Support Mission in Libya (S/2011/727)

Afternoon[1] — Consultations of the whole (closed) — Consultations Room GA-TSC-02

Libya (S/2011/727)

Other matters

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 6669th meeting of the Council.

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General Assembly
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An informal meeting (closed) of the plenary on the intergovernmental negotiations on the question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and other matters related to the Council, will take place on *Monday, 28 November 2011*, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB). A letter from the Chair, dated 10 November 2011, was sent to all permanent representatives. Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are invited to contact the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail heddachem@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063).

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Wednesday, 30 November 2011, in the Security Council Chamber Room GA-TSC-01, in connection with the agenda item "Implementation of the note by the President of the Security Council" (S/2010/507).

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should contact the Secretariat (tel. 1 (212) 963-5258; room TB-08083; fax 1 (212) 963-4213), from 9.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

General Assembly
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Fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development
(7–8 December 2011)

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 65/314 of 12 September 2011 (A/RES/65/314), the fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development will be held on Wednesday, 7, and Thursday, 8 December 2011, at United Nations Headquarters (*see pp. 10–12 for complete details*).

Survey of Conference Services

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General Assembly

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Main Committees

Fifth Committee

10–10.15 a.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 152 (Financing of the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (A/66/375 and A/66/545))

10.15–11.45 a.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 134 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013: International Public Sector Accounting Standards (A/66/379, A/66/151, A/66/536, A/66/308 and A/66/308/Add.1)

11.45 a.m.–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 134 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013: Construction of additional office facilities at the United Nations Office at Nairobi and the Economic Commission for Africa in Addis Ababa; strategic heritage plan of the United Nations Office at Geneva; and feasibility study on the United Nations Headquarters accommodation needs (A/66/336, A/66/351, A/66/279, A/66/349 and A/66/7/Add.3))

3–6 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 134 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013):

(A/66/6 (Introduction), A/66/6 (Introduction)/Corr.1, A/66/6 (Sect. 1), A/66/6 (Sect. 2), A/66/6 (Sect. 3), A/66/6 (Sect. 3)/Corr.1, A/66/6 (Sect. 4), A/66/6 (Sect. 5), A/66/6 (Sect. 6), A/66/6 (Sect. 7), A/66/6 (Sect. 8), A/66/6 (Sect. 8)/Corr.1, A/66/6 (Sect. 9), A/66/6 (Sect. 10), A/66/6 (Sect. 11), A/66/6 (Sect. 12), A/66/6 (Sect. 13), A/66/6 (Sect. 14), A/66/6 (Sect. 15), A/66/6 (Sect. 16), A/66/6 (Sect. 16)/Corr.1, A/66/6 (Sect. 17), A/66/6 (Sect. 18), A/66/6 (Sect. 19), A/66/6 (Sect. 20), A/66/6 (Sect. 20)/Corr.1, A/66/6 (Sect. 21), A/66/6 (Sect. 22), A/66/6 (Sect. 23), A/66/6 (Sect. 24), A/66/6 (Sect. 24)/Corr.1, A/66/6 (Sect. 25), A/66/6 (Sect. 26), A/66/6 (Sect. 26)/Corr.1, A/66/6 (Sect. 27), A/66/6 (Sect. 28), A/66/6 (Sect. 28)/Corr.1, A/66/6 (Sect. 29), A/66/6 (Sect. 29A), A/66/6 (Sect. 29A)/Corr.1, A/66/6 (Sect. 29B), A/66/6 (Sect. 29C), A/66/6 (Sect. 29D), A/66/6 (Sect. 29E), A/66/6 (Sect. 29F), A/66/6 (Sect. 29F)/Corr.1, A/66/6 (Sect. 29G), A/66/6 (Sect. 30), A/66/6 (Sect. 31), A/66/6 (Sect. 32), A/66/6 (Sect. 33), A/66/6 (Sect. 34), A/66/6 (Sect. 35), A/66/6 (Sect. 36), A/66/6 (Sect. 37), A/66/6 (Income sect. 1), A/66/6 (Income sect. 2), A/66/6 (Income sect. 3), A/66/84, A/66/82 and A/66/74)

Report of the Independent Audit Advisory Committee on the Office of Internal Oversight Services proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 (A/66/85)

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/66/7 and A/66/7/Corr.1)

Report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination (A/66/16 (chapter II.A))

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Review of management and administration in the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime" (A/66/315, A/66/315/Add.1 and A/66/315/Add.1/Corr.1)

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on policies and procedures for the administration of trust funds in the United Nations system organizations (A/66/348)

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (A/66/348/Add.1)

Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the review of the organizational framework of the public information function of the Secretariat (A/66/180)

Revised estimates relating to the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 under section 1, Overall policymaking, direction and coordination, and section 37, Staff assessment related to the strengthening of the Office of the Director-General, United Nations Office at Nairobi (A/66/393)

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/66/7/Add.7)

Report of the Secretary-General on the fourth progress report on the adoption of the International Public Sector Accounting Standards by the United Nations (A/66/379)

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Board of Auditors on the progress in the implementation of the International Public Sector Accounting Standards (A/66/151)

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/66/536)

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Preparedness of United Nations system organizations for the International Public Sector Accounting Standards" (A/66/308)

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Preparedness of United Nations system organizations for the International Public Sector Accounting Standards (IPSAS)" (A/66/308/Add.1)

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

1. Limited budgetary discretion
2. Executive meeting

General Assembly

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Resumed twenty-eighth session

There will be closed meetings of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf from *Monday, 28 November,* until Friday, 9 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m., at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Executive Board
Pre-session informal meeting

The pre-session informal meeting of the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women) will take place on *Monday, 28 November 2011*, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/66/251 and A/66/252.

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Second Committee

Informal informal consultations of draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.15, entitled "Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017)" (under agenda item 23 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Germany)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room DC2-1337

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.32, entitled "Developmental benefits of biodiversity" (under agenda item 19) (convened by the delegation of Peru)

10 a.m.–12 noon . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.17, entitled "Agriculture development and food security" (under agenda item 25) (convened by the delegation of Liechtenstein)

10.30 a.m.–12 noon . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Final consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.37, entitled "Sustainable tourism and sustainable development in Central America" (under agenda item 19) (convened by the delegation of Honduras)

12 noon–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.24, entitled "Science and technology for development" (under agenda sub-item 21 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Gabon)

12 noon . . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room DC2-1120 (UNCTAD New York Office)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.34, entitled "Commodities" (under agenda sub-item 17 (d)) (convened by the delegation of Indonesia)

12.30–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.13, entitled "Culture and development" (under agenda item 21) (convened by the delegation of Senegal)

1–3 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.39, entitled "International trade and development" (under agenda sub-item 17 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Belarus)

2.30–4 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

6–7.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.5, entitled "International financial system and development" (under agenda sub-item 17 (b)) (convened by the delegation of the Russian Federation)

4–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.9, entitled "External debt sustainability and development" (under agenda sub-item 17 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Ecuador)

4–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Permanent Mission of Ecuador (866 United Nations Plaza, Room 516)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.11, entitled "Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development" (under agenda item 18) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

4–7 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Other meetings

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Monday, 28 November 2011

Group of 77 (on humanitarian issues)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room A (NLB)

Group of 77 (Second Committee — Sustainable development issues)

10 a.m.–12 noon . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77 (Second Committee — Macroeconomic issues)

2–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Other activities

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Monday, 28 November 2011

Joint annual parliamentary hearing on "Strengthening political accountability for a more peaceful and prosperous world" (co-organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union and the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, visit <www.ipu.org/splz-e/unga11.htm>; or contact the IPU New York Office (e-mail ny-office@mail.ipu.org; tel. 1 (212) 557-5880).]

Seminar on "Mainstreaming migration into development planning" (co-organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the MacArthur Foundation)

From 10 a.m. to 1.15 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For registration and further information, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Mr. Pierpaolo Capalbo, UNITAR (e-mail pierpaolo.capalbo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

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Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

9.30 a.m. . . . . Mr. Paulo Pinheiro, Mr. Yakin Ertürk and Ms. Karen Koning AbuZayd, authors of the report of the Independent International Commission of Inquiry on Syria (to present the report by video conference from Geneva)

12 noon . . . . . Press briefing by the Spokesperson [*Guest*: Ms. Radhika Coomaraswamy, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict (on her recent mission to the Central African Republic)]

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Announcement

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Forthcoming official meetings

Tuesday, 29 November 2011

General Assembly
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3 p.m. 67th plenary meeting . . . . . General Assembly Hall

Question of Palestine . . . . . [37]

(a) Report of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People (A/66/35)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/66/367–S/2011/585)

(c) Draft resolutions (A/66/L.15, A/66/L.16, A/66/L.17 and A/66/L.18)

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Programme of work

Since the issuance of the revised programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly (A/INF/66/3/Rev.1), the following changes have been made:

The joint debate on agenda items 120 (Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations) and 121 (Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly), originally scheduled for Tuesday, 22 November, will be held on Thursday, 1 December 2011, at 10 a.m.

The reports of the First Committee will be considered on Friday, 2 December 2011, at 10 a.m.

The joint debate on agenda items 14 (Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields), 117 (Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit), 123 (a) and (b) (Strengthening of the United Nations system) and 124 (United Nations reform: measures and proposals), originally scheduled for Tuesday, 22 November, will be held on Friday, 2 December 2011, at 3 p.m.

The specific meeting focused on development, to be held under agenda item 117 (Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit), pursuant to resolution 60/265, has been postponed from Friday, 18 November 2011, to a date in the resumed part, to be announced.

The dates for the consideration of reports of the Main Committees will be announced in the *Journal*, as soon as they are decided upon.

Additional scheduling of items or changes in the programme of work will be announced in the *Journal* and on the Web site of the General Assembly <www.un.org/en/ga/info/meetings/66schedule.shtml>, and will be reflected in revised versions of the note by the President of the General Assembly.

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Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold its 19th meeting on Tuesday, 29 November 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB). Informal consultations (closed) will be held following the adjournment of the 19th meeting, and at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

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Fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 65/314 of 12 September 2011 (A/RES/65/314), the fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development will be held on Wednesday, 7, and Thursday, 8 December 2011, at United Nations Headquarters. The overall theme of the Dialogue will be "The Monterrey Consensus and Doha Declaration on Financing for Development: Status of implementation and tasks ahead".

Plenary meetings

The Dialogue will include four plenary meetings. Three plenary meetings will be held on Wednesday, 7 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m., and on Thursday, 8 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., in the General Assembly Hall. A short closing plenary meeting will be held on Thursday, 8 December, at 5.45 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Should the list of speakers so require, provisions will be made for an additional plenary meeting on Thursday, 8 December, from 3 to 6 p.m.

List of speakers

The list of speakers for the plenary meetings is open. Inscriptions are taken on a first-come, first-served basis, and will be rearranged in accordance with the established practice of the General Assembly. Delegations are reminded that interventions in the plenary meetings should be limited to *five minutes* for individual Member States and *seven minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States, on the understanding that this will not preclude the distribution of more extensive texts.

Delegations wishing to speak in the plenary meetings are kindly requested to inscribe with the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail heddachem@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; room IN-613A; fax 1 (212) 963-3783).

Round tables

The Dialogue will include three interactive multi-stakeholder round tables to be held in parallel on Thursday, 8 December, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the following themes:

Round table 1: The reform of the international monetary and financial system and its implications for development (Conference Room 2 (NLB));

Round table 2: The impact of the world financial and economic crisis on foreign direct investment and other private flows, external debt and international trade (Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)); and

Round table 3: The role of financial and technical development cooperation, including innovative sources of development finance, in leveraging the mobilization of domestic and international financial resources for development (Conference Room 4 (NLB)).

Each round table will be open to participation by representatives of all Member States; 10 representatives of observers, relevant entities of the United Nations system and other accredited intergovernmental organizations; 3 representatives of accredited civil society organizations; and 3 representatives of accredited business sector entities. Each representative may be accompanied by one adviser. No list of speakers will be established. Each oral statement should be limited to *three minutes*, although this will not preclude distribution of more extensive texts.

Informal interactive dialogue

An informal interactive dialogue will be held on Thursday, 8 December, from 3 to 5.45 p.m., on the theme "The link between financing for development and achieving the internationally agreed development goals, including the Millennium Development Goals", in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

The informal interactive dialogue will be open to participation by representatives of all Member States; 15 representatives of observers, relevant entities of the United Nations system and other accredited intergovernmental organizations; 5 representatives of accredited civil society organizations; and 5 representatives of accredited business sector entities. Each representative may be accompanied by one adviser. No list of speakers will be established. Each oral statement should be limited to *three minutes*, although this will not preclude distribution of more extensive texts.

Participation of Member States

Delegations of Member States and observers are reminded that the names of their members should be submitted, *as soon as possible*, to the United Nations Protocol and Liaison Service (tel. 1 (212) 963-7181; room NL-2058C; fax 1 (212) 963-1921).

Interested delegations are invited to nominate panelists to participate in the three interactive multi-stakeholder round tables and the informal interactive dialogue. The names and curricula vitae of the proposed candidates should be sent to the Financing for Development Office (e-mail fahmyh@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5900; room DC2-2154; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Registration of non-State entities

Registration of non-state entities and their inscription for participation in the round tables and in the informal interactive dialogue will be open *until* 6 p.m. on Monday, 5 December 2011.

Representatives of observers, relevant entities of the United Nations system and other accredited intergovernmental organizations are kindly requested to register with the United Nations Protocol and Liaison Service (tel. 1 (212) 963-7181; room NL-2058C; fax 1 (212) 963-1921). Representatives of these non-state entities wishing to participate in the round tables or the informal interactive dialogue should inscribe with the Financing for Development Office (e-mail kunzm@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5738; room DC2-2158; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Representatives of accredited civil society organizations are kindly requested to register with the United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service: <www.un-ngls.org/ffd>.

Representatives of accredited business sector entities wishing to register and to inscribe for participation in the round tables or the informal interactive dialogue are kindly requested to contact the Financing for Development Office (e-mail sharmak@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4451; room DC2-2160; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Side events

Delegations of Member States and accredited non-State entities wishing to organize side events are kindly requested to contact the Financing for Development Office (e-mail kunzm@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5738; room DC2-2158; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Detailed programme of the event is contained in the note by the Secretary-General on the proposed organization of work of the fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development (A/65/897). For further information, please refer to the Financing for Development Web site at <www.un.org/esa/ffd/hld/HLD2011/index.htm>.

General Assembly

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

Observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People

The Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People will hold a special meeting in observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People, on Tuesday, 29 November 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB), in accordance with General Assembly resolution 32/40 B of 2 December 1977.

The speakers at the special meeting will include the Chair of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People, the President of the General Assembly, the Secretary-General or his representative, the President of the Security Council, a representative of Palestine, the Chair of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories, several intergovernmental organizations, and a representative of civil society.

All Member States and observers, as well as United Nations agencies and bodies, are invited to attend the special meeting. Messages of solidarity should be sent to the Division for Palestinian Rights of the United Nations Secretariat (room TB-08008B; fax 1 (212) 963-4199). An electronic copy (Word format) may be sent by e-mail (dpr-meeting@un.org). Messages will be published in a special bulletin of the Division.

A film will be screened following the adjournment of the special meeting, in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Executive Board
Second regular session

The 2011 second regular session of the Executive Board of UN-Women will take place from Monday, 5, to Wednesday, 7 December 2011, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional annotated agenda and workplan are contained in document UNW/2011/L.3.

The UN-Women institutional budget estimates for 2012-2013 are contained in document UNW/2011/11.

Executive Board members and other Member States wishing to participate, in accordance with rule 16 (2) and (3) of the rules of procedure, are requested to submit their credentials (names and titles of each member of their delegation, on official letterhead), to the secretariat of the UN-Women Executive Board (e-mail rocio.torres@unwomen.org), as early as possible, and *no later than Thursday, 1 December 2011*. Requests to be inscribed on the list of speakers will be accommodated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations

Informal briefings

The Department of Field Support and the Department of Peacekeeping Operations will provide informal briefings, to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, as follows:

Tuesday, 6 December 2011, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB): on the global field support strategy; and

Friday, 9 December 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB): on capabilities.

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

The Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East will meet on Wednesday, 7 December 2011, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers are kindly requested to notify Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (e-mail cianciulli@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9277; room IN-615A).

Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development

Second intersessional meeting

The second open-ended informal intersessional meeting of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development will be held on Thursday, 15, and Friday, 16 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB). Members of permanent missions, United Nations staff, and representatives of intergovernmental organizations and major groups are invited to attend. Background information on the session is available on the following Web site: <www.uncsd2012.org/>.

International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination

Meeting of States Parties
Twenty-fourth Meeting

The Twenty-fourth Meeting of States Parties to the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination will take place on Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The purpose of this meeting is to elect nine members of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination to replace those whose terms of office are due to expire on Thursday, 19 January 2012. The documents for the Meeting are CERD/SP/73, CERD/SP/74, CERD/SP/74/Add.1 and CERD/SP/2/Rev.1.

Quorum

Pursuant to article 8, paragraph 4, of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, the necessary quorum for the meeting is two-thirds of the States parties. In order to avoid a reoccurrence of past instances where meetings of the States parties have been substantially delayed or cancelled due to the lack of quorum, it is imperative that all States parties be present at the scheduled time of the meeting.

Credentials

Credentials should be submitted to the Secretary-General prior to the Meeting through the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights in New York (DC1-0504) to the attention of Mr. James Turpin. For more information, please visit the following Web site address <htpp://www2.ohchr.org/english/bodies/cerd/elections24.htm>.

Economic and Social Council

Resumed substantive session for 2011

The Economic and Social Council will hold the next meeting of its 2011 resumed substantive session on Monday, 5 December 2011, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), to hold elections to fill vacancies in the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN- Women), the Programme Coordinating Board of the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, the Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat), and the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission. The list of candidates for the elections is available on Candiweb at <www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal/home/pid/11312>. The Council will also take action on decision 49/101 recommended by the Commission for Social Development at its forty-ninth session (E/2011/26, chapter I, section C). The Council will further consider outstanding issues deferred from its 2011 substantive session.

Special event

The Economic and Social Council will hold a special event on "Cybersecurity and development" on Friday, 9 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). The meeting is organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), in collaboration with the International Telecommunications Union (ITU).

Welcoming remarks will be made by H.E. Mr. Lazarous Kapambwe (Zambia), President of the Council and Permanent Representative of Zambia, followed by addresses by Dr. Hamadoun I. Touré, Secretary-General of ITU, and H.E. Mr. Fortunato de la Peña, Under-Secretary for Science and Technology of the Philippines (by video link). An interactive panel discussion will then follow, on "An international framework to combat cybercrime and improve cybersecurity". Panellists will include Dr. Hamadoun I. Touré, Secretary-General of ITU; Ms. Cheri F. McGuire, Vice-President, Global Government Affairs and Cybersecurity Policy, Symantec Corporation; Mr. Mohd Noor Amin, Chair, Management Board IMPACT Malaysia; Ms. Deborah Taylor Tate, ITU Special Envoy and Laureate for Child Online Protection; and Ms. Simone Monasebian, Representative and Chief of the New York Office of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime. Mr. Gary Fowlie, Head of ITU Liaison Office in New York will serve as Moderator.

All are invited to attend. For further information on the event, please visit the following Web site: <http://www.un.org/en/ecosoc/cybersecurity/>; or contact Mr. Ajit Yogasundram (e-mail yogasundram@un.org).

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Informal consultations

The Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund will hold informal consultations as follows:

Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB): on the UNICEF strategic integrated framework for research and knowledge management;

Monday, 5 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB): on transparency and accountability; and

Monday, 19 December 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB): on the draft country programme document for South Sudan.

All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services

Informal consultation

There will be an informal consultation on the UNDP programming arrangements on Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Joint informal consultations

There will be a joint informal consultation of the Executive Boards of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services, and of the United Nations Children's Fund, on the lessons learned from the common country programme document process, on Monday, 12 December 2011, from 3 to 6 pm. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

A joint informal consultation of the United Nations Development Programme and the United Nations Population Fund, on the first draft country programme for South Sudan, will take place on Wednesday, 14 December 2011, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/66/251 and A/66/252.

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda sub-item 70 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

Tuesday, 29 November 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB); and

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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JUSCANZ Group (Second Committee experts)

Tuesday, 29 November 2011, from 9 to 9.30 a.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Group of Eastern European States (on candidatures) (at the expert level)

Tuesday, 29 November 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

Group of Western European and Other States (monthly meeting)

Tuesday, 29 November 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Group of Latin American and Caribbean States (monthly meeting)

Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Informal briefing on "Rio+20" (for States members of the Eastern European Group) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Croatia and the Czech Republic)

Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 3 to 4 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Informal briefing on "The *Human Development Report* — Concept, analysis, measurement and implications for policy development" (organized by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP))

Friday, 9 December 2011, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Briefing on "South-South migration cooperation" (co-organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA), and the MacArthur Foundation)

Tuesday, 29 November 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For registration and further information, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Mr. Pierpaolo Capalbo, UNITAR (e-mail pierpaolo.capalbo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684).]

Conference on "Preventing food insecurity: The role of media and non-governmental organizations" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Ukraine and the World Information Transfer (WIT))

Tuesday, 29 November 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Alex Shapoval, Permanent Mission of Ukraine (e-mail shapovalalex85@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 759-7003); or visit <www.worldinfo.org/>.]

Briefing on "Follow-up to the High-level Meeting on Youth" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Benin)

Tuesday, 29 November 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of Benin (e-mail beninewyork@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 684-1339, ext. 321).]

Special event on the occasion of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People (organized by the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People)

Opening ceremony of the exhibit, entitled "A Palestinian Vista — Uprooted from our homeland...We rooted the homeland in ourselves".

Tuesday, 29 November 2011, at 6 p.m., in the Public Lobby of the General Assembly Building.

[All are invited to attend.]

Expert group meeting on strengthening the national voluntary presentation process through the development of an analytical framework and regional knowledge networks (organized by the Office of Economic and Social Council Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB); and

Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[The meeting is closed. For further information, please contact the Office of Economic and Social Council Support and Coordination, DESA (Mr. Robert de Jesus (e-mail dejesus3@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2275); or Mr. Luis Chalico (e-mail chalico@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-4419)).]

Women's International Forum: Meeting on "The question of Palestine and the United Nations" (sponsored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited to attend.]

OLA/UNITAR seminar on "International treaty law and practice"

Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB); and

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

[Open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/event/new-york>. For further information, please contact Ms. Hélène Gandois, UNITAR (e-mail gandoish@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684).]

Special events on the occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities (organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Opening ceremony with the Deputy Secretary-General

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10 to 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Panel discussion I on "Towards inclusive development: Improving data and statistics on disability"

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10.30 to 11.45 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Panel discussion II on "Mainstreaming disability in the global development agenda: Experience in other development issues"

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 12 noon to 1.15 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

United Nations Enable Film Festival

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 1.15 to 4 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend the events. For further information, please contact Mr. Fred Doulton, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (e-mail doultonf@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4466; or click here.]

UNITAR/WTO seminar on "International trade law and policy"

Tuesday, 6 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB);

Wednesday, 7 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB);

Thursday, 8 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB); and

Friday, 9 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[Open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>. For further information, please contact Ms. Hélène Gandois, UNITAR (e-mail gandoish@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684).]

Screening of the film entitled "The Vision of a Secretary-General: Dag Hammarskjöld and the United Nations, 1953-1961" (organized by the Dag Hammarskjöld Library)

Tuesday, 6 December 2011, from 4 to 5.45 p.m., in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited to attend. For more information, please contact the Dag Hammarskjöld Library (Ms. Natalyn Bornales (e-mail bonalesn@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8791); or Ms. Nicoleta Voinea (e-mail voinean@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4708)).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
United Nations Office at Geneva
(15 December 2011)

In accordance with the terms of General Assembly resolution 55/75 (A/RES/55/75), the Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees will be convened, on Thursday, 15 December 2011, at 10 a.m. in Room XVII, at the Palais des Nations, Geneva.

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions in Room DC2-1142, in English, on the dates indicated below. All interested are kindly requested to register by e-mail (librarytraining@un.org) or by telephone (1 (212) 963-5321).

United Nations Bibliographic Information System (UNBISnet) (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Tuesday, 29 November 2011.

United Nations documentation (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Wednesday, 30 November 2011.

Official Documents System (ODS) (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Tuesday, 6 December 2011.

Electronic resources (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Thursday, 8 December 2011.

Foreign law (from 3 to 5 p.m., in the Legal Library)

Monday, 12 December 2011.

UNIQUE (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Tuesday, 13 December 2011.

United Nations documentation (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Wednesday, 14 December 2011.

United Nations Bibliographic Information System (UNBISnet) (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Thursday, 15 December 2011.

RSS feeds (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Tuesday, 20 December 2011.

Map collection (from 3 to 4.30 p.m., in the Map Library)

Tuesday, 20 December 2011; and

Thursday, 22 December 2011.

United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, 2012

Applications for the 2012 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, scheduled to be held at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands, from Monday, 9 July, to Friday, 17 August 2012, are now being accepted. The deadline for applications is *Friday, 10 February 2012*.

The Fellowship Programme will be conducted in French this year. For further information, including application forms, please consult the International Law Fellowship Programme Web site <www.un.org/law/ilfp>; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail ilfp@un.org).

Call for nominations of panellists for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission on the Status of Women — Extension of deadline

In preparation for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission on the Status of Women (27 February–9 March 2012), delegations are invited to propose names of expert panellists to participate in the two interactive panels on the priority theme "The empowerment of rural women and their role in poverty and hunger eradication, development and current challenges".

Delegations are invited to submit names and curricula vitae outlining the expertise and experience of the proposed candidate in relation to one of the areas above. Information should be sent to the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women) (e-mails qi.song@unwomen.org and diana.ranola@unwomen.org), *no later than Thursday, 1 December 2011*.

Nominations for United Nations Population Award

As stipulated in General Assembly resolution 36/201 of 17 December 1981 (A/RES/36/201) on the United Nations Population Award, Member States are annually requested to nominate an individual or institution that has made "an outstanding contribution to the awareness of population questions or to their solutions" for consideration for the annual Award by the Committee for the United Nations Population Award. The Award currently consists of a monetary prize of US$ 12,500, a gold medallion and a citation and is awarded separately to one individual and one institution, public, private or civil.

The Committee wishes to remind permanent missions that the deadline for submission of nominations for the 2012 Award, which would be awarded in June 2012, is *Saturday, 31 December 2011*.

Questions related to the United Nations Population Award can be directed to the Award secretariat (e-mail populationaward@unfpa.org; tel. 1 (212) 297-5088), or to the office of the Permanent Representative of Egypt, Chair of the Committee for the United Nations Population Award (e-mail egypt@un.int; tel. 1 (212) 503-0300).

UNITAR Fellowship Programme at Columbia University Law School and UNITAR Visitor Programme at New York University School of Law

January–April 2012 (spring term)

The Columbia University Law School, New York University School of Law and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research are pleased to invite delegates to the 2012 UNITAR Fellowship and Visitors Programmes for diplomats accredited to the United Nations.

Open to all delegates of the permanent missions. For further information and application, please visit the following Web site: <www.unitar.org/ny/international-law-and-policy/law-fellowship-at-nyu-columbia-university>. For additional queries, please contact Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail falls@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

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Corrigendum

General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

Main Committees

Third Committee

Corrigendum to the summary of the 50th meeting of the Third Committee (see *Journal* No. 2011/227, p. 17): The second paragraph under "Action on draft resolution A/C.3/66/L.24/Rev.1" *should read* as follows:

> The representative of Angola (on behalf of the Southern Africa Development Community) made a statement, orally revised the text and announced that Algeria, Austria, Brazil, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Poland, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Thailand had joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *November 2011* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
United Republic of Tanzania
H.E. Mr. Ombeni Sefue

Asia-Pacific States:
Japan
H.E. Mr. Tsuneo Nishida

Eastern European States:
Serbia
H.E. Mr. Feodor Starčević

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Cuba
H.E. Mr. Pedro Núñez Mosquera

Western European and other States:
New Zealand
H.E. Mr. Jim McLay

Web sites

Department for General Assembly and Conference Management
<www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/>

Presidency of the General Assembly
<www.un.org/ga/president>

General Assembly
<www.un.org/en/ga>

Department of Political Affairs
<www.un.org/depts/dpa>

Presidency of the Security Council
<www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>

Security Council
<www.un.org/Docs/sc/>

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
<www.un.org/en/sc/ctc/>

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)
<www.un.org/sc/1540/>

Department of Economic and Social Affairs
<www.un.org/en/development/desa/index.html>

Economic and Social Council
<www.un.org/en/ecosoc/>

Office for Disarmament Affairs
<www.un.org/disarmament/>

United Nations Treaty Collection
<http://treaties.un.org/>

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law
<www.un.org/law/avl/>

Dag Hammarskjöld Library
<www.un.org/depts/dhl/>

International Court of Justice
<www.icj-cij.org/>

Journal of the United Nations
<www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp>

United Nations Press Releases
<www.un.org/en/unpress/index.asp>

United Nations Webcast
<www.unmultimedia.org/tv/webcast/index.html>

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<http://unyearbook.un.org>

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Documents issued at United Nations Headquarters on Friday, 25 November 2011

With the exception of sales publications and public information material, hyperlinked official documents listed hereunder may be accessed through the Official Document System of the United Nations <http://documents.un.org> in the electronic version of the present Journal.

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A/66/428 — Item 54 — Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects — Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

A/66/434 — Item 60 — Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples — Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) [A C E F R S] — *39 pages*

A/66/435 — Item 121 — Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly — Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

A/66/537 — Items 129, 144 and 145 — International residual mechanism for criminal tribunals — Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 — Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 — Budget for the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals for the biennium 2012-2013 — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *27 pages*

A/66/555 — Item 145 — Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 — Second performance report on the budget of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia for the biennium 2010-2011 — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *15 pages*

A/66/557 — Item 144 — Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 — Second performance report on the budget of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda for the biennium 2010-2011 — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *14 pages*

A/66/560 — Item 155 — Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea — Final performance report of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

A/66/565 — Item 8 — General debate — Letter dated 3 November 2011 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the Plurinational State of Bolivia to the United Nations addressed to the President of the General Assembly [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

A/66/566 — Item 76 (b) — Oceans and the law of the sea: sustainable fisheries, including through the 1995 Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, and related instruments — Workshop to discuss implementation of paragraphs 80 and 83 to 87 of resolution 61/105 and paragraphs 117 and 119 to 127 of resolution 64/72 on sustainable fisheries, addressing the impacts of bottom fishing on vulnerable marine ecosystems and the long-term sustainability of deep-sea fish stocks — Letter dated 27 October 2011 from the Moderator of the Workshop to the President of the General Assembly [A C E F R S] — *11 pages*

A/66/567 Item 42 — The situation in Central America: progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development — Letter dated 10 November 2011 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*

A/66/L.10/Add.1 Item 38 — The situation in Afghanistan — Afghanistan, Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Georgia, Germany, Haiti, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Palau, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Singapore, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Tajikistan, Turkey, Turkmenistan, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America: draft resolution — Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Cambodia, Chad, China, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Dominican Republic, Egypt, Eritrea, Finland, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, India, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Lesotho, Luxembourg, Malta, Mongolia, Montenegro, New Zealand, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Republic of Korea, San Marino, Serbia, Slovenia, Thailand, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania, Uzbekistan, Vanuatu and Viet Nam [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

A/66/L.16 Item 37 — Question of Palestine — Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Comoros, Cuba, Cyprus, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Lesotho, Malaysia, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen and Palestine: draft resolution — Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

A/66/L.17 Item 37 — Question of Palestine — Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Comoros, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Malaysia, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen and Palestine: draft resolution — Special information programme on the question of Palestine of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

A/66/L.18 Item 37 — Question of Palestine — Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Comoros, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen and Palestine: draft resolution — Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine [A C E F R S] — *7 pages*

A/66/L.19 Item 36 — The situation in the Middle East — Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Comoros, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Lesotho, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen and Palestine: draft resolution — Jerusalem [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

A/66/L.20 Item 36 — The situation in the Middle East — Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Comoros, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Lesotho, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Qatar, Saint Vincent and the

Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen and Palestine: draft resolution — The Syrian Golan [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

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S/2011/508	Letter dated 1 November 2011 from the Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *8 pages*
S/2011/730	Letter dated 22 November 2011 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*
S/2011/733	Letter dated 22 November 2011 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *1 page*
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Tuesday, 29 November 2011

Security Council

11 a.m.	6670th meeting	Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)

   Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (S/2011/675)

3 p.m.	6671st meeting	Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

Afternoon[1]	Consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultations Room GA-TSC-02

1701 report (S/2011/715)

Other matters

[1]To be held following the 6671st meeting of the Council.

General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

3 p.m.	67th plenary meeting	General Assembly Hall

Question of Palestine [37]

(a) Report of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People (A/66/35)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/66/367–S/2011/585)

(c) Draft resolutions (A/66/L.15, A/66/L.16, A/66/L.17 and A/66/L.18)

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Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Wednesday, 30 November 2011, in the Security Council Chamber Room GA-TSC-01, in connection with the agenda item "Implementation of the note by the President of the Security Council" (S/2010/507).

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should contact the Secretariat (tel. 1 (212) 963-5258; room TB-08083; fax 1 (212) 963-4213), from 9.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

General Assembly
Sixty-sixth session

Fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development
(7–8 December 2011)

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 65/314 of 12 September 2011 (A/RES/65/314), the fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development will be held on Wednesday, 7, and Thursday, 8 December 2011, at United Nations Headquarters (*see pp. 9–10 for complete details*).

Survey of Conference Services

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General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

10 a.m. 19th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 3 (NLB)

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 . . . . . [134]

Enterprise information and communications technology and enterprise resource planning project, Umoja (A/66/94, A/66/381 and A/66/7/Add.1)

Introduction and general discussion

Morning[1]–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 134 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013: Organizational resilience management system (A/66/516 and A/66/7/Add.10)

3–6 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 141 (United Nations common system (A/66/30, A/66/30/Corr.1 (in French only), A/66/30/Corr.2, A/66/394, A/66/394/Corr.1, A/66/7/Add.4 and A/66/7/Add.4/Corr.1)

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 19th meeting of the Committee.

General Assembly

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

10 a.m.–1 p.m. 337th meeting[1] . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People

[1]A film will be screened following the adjournment of the special meeting, in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

Executive meeting

General Assembly

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Resumed twenty-eighth session

There will be closed meetings of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf *today*, 29 November 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m., at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/66/251 and A/66/252.

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General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda sub-item 70 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room A (NLB)

Second Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.11, entitled "Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development" (under agenda item 18) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.18, entitled "Development cooperation with middle-income countries" (under agenda item 21 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Argentina)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.32, entitled "Developmental benefits of biodiversity" (under agenda item 19) (convened by the delegation of Peru)

10 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Permanent Mission of Peru (820 Second Avenue, 16th Floor)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.15, entitled "Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017)" (under agenda item 23 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Germany)

1–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room DC2-1337

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.39, entitled "International trade and development" (under agenda sub-item 17 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Belarus)

2–5 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.13, entitled "Culture and developpment" (under agenda item 21) (convened by the delegation of Senegal)

3–4.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Other meetings

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JUSCANZ Group (Second Committee experts)

9–9.30 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Group of Eastern European States (on candidatures) (at the expert level)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room C (NLB)

Group of 77 (Second Committee matters)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

2–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of Western European and Other States (monthly meeting)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Group of Least Developed Countries (at the expert level)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Other activities

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Tuesday, 29 November 2011

Briefing on "South-South migration cooperation" (co-organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA), and the MacArthur Foundation)

From 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For registration and further information, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Mr. Pierpaolo Capalbo, UNITAR (e-mail pierpaolo.capalbo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684).]

Conference on "Preventing food insecurity: The role of media and non-governmental organizations" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Ukraine and the World Information Transfer (WIT))

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Alex Shapoval, Permanent Mission of Ukraine (e-mail shapovalalex85@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 759-7003); or visit <www.worldinfo.org/>.]

Joint annual parliamentary hearing on "Strengthening political accountability for a more peaceful and prosperous world" (co-organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union and the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, visit <www.ipu.org/splz-e/unga11.htm>; or contact the IPU New York Office (e-mail ny-office@mail.ipu.org; tel. 1 (212) 557-5880).]

Briefing on "Follow-up to the High-level Meeting on Youth" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Benin)

From 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of Benin (e-mail beninewyork@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 684-1339, ext. 321).]

Special event on the occasion of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People (organized by the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People)

Opening ceremony of the exhibit, entitled "A Palestinian Vista — Uprooted from our homeland...We rooted the homeland in ourselves".

At 6 p.m., in the Public Lobby of the General Assembly Building.

[All are invited to attend.]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Tuesday, 29 November 2011

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

12 noon . . . . . Press briefing by the Spokesperson [*Guest*: Mr. Nigel Fisher, Deputy Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Haiti]

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Announcement

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Forthcoming official meetings

Wednesday, 30 November 2011

General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

10 a.m. . . . . 68th plenary meeting . . . . . General Assembly Hall

1. Question of Palestine . . . . . [37]
   - (a) Report of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People (A/66/35)
   - (b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/66/367-S/2011/585)
   - (c) Draft resolutions (A/66/L.15, A/66/L.16, A/66/L.17 and A/66/L.18)
2. The situation in the Middle East . . . . . [36]
   - (a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/66/338 and A/66/367)
   - (b) Draft resolutions (A/66/L.19 and A/66/L.20)

General Assembly

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Programme of work

Since the issuance of the revised programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly (A/INF/66/3/Rev.1), the following changes have been made:

The joint debate on agenda items 120 (Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations) and 121 (Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly), will be held on Thursday, 1 December 2011, at 10 a.m.

The reports of the First Committee will [1] be considered on Friday, 2 December 2011, at 10 a.m.

The joint debate on agenda items 14 (Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields), 117 (Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit), 123 (a) (Strengthening of the United Nations system) and 124 (United Nations reform: measures and proposals), will be held on Friday, 2 December 2011, at 3 p.m.

Agenda item 129 (International residual mechanism for criminal tribunals) will be considered on Friday, 16 December 2011[1], at 10 a.m. (Letter from the President of the Security Council addressed to the President of the General Assembly (A/66/564)).

The specific meeting focused on development, to be held under agenda item 117 (Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit), pursuant to resolution 60/265, has been postponed from Friday, 18 November 2011, to a date in the resumed part, to be announced.

Agenda item 123 (b) (Central role of the United Nations system in global governance), originally scheduled for Friday, 2 December 2011, at 3 p.m., will be considered at another date, to be announced.

The dates for the consideration of reports of the Main Committees will be announced in the *Journal*, as soon as they are decided upon.

Additional scheduling of items or changes in the programme of work will be announced in the *Journal* and on the Web site of the General Assembly <www.un.org/en/ga/info/meetings/66schedule.shtml>, and will be reflected in revised versions of the note by the President of the General Assembly.

[1] On condition that the date of recess, currently set for 12 December, is postponed.

General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Wednesday, 30 November 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly

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Fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 65/314 of 12 September 2011 (A/RES/65/314), the fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development will be held on Wednesday, 7, and Thursday, 8 December 2011, at United Nations Headquarters. The overall theme of the Dialogue will be "The Monterrey Consensus and Doha Declaration on Financing for Development: Status of implementation and tasks ahead".

Plenary meetings

The Dialogue will include four plenary meetings. Three plenary meetings will be held on Wednesday, 7 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m., and on Thursday, 8 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., in the General Assembly Hall. A short closing plenary meeting will be held on Thursday, 8 December, at 5.45 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Should the list of speakers so require, provisions will be made for an additional plenary meeting on Thursday, 8 December, from 3 to 6 p.m.

List of speakers

The list of speakers for the plenary meetings is open. Inscriptions are taken on a first-come, first-served basis, and will be rearranged in accordance with the established practice of the General Assembly. Delegations are reminded that interventions in the plenary meetings should be limited to *five minutes* for individual Member States and *seven minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States, on the understanding that this will not preclude the distribution of more extensive texts.

Delegations wishing to speak in the plenary meetings are kindly requested to inscribe with the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail heddachem@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; room IN-613A; fax 1 (212) 963-3783).

Round tables

The Dialogue will include three interactive multi-stakeholder round tables to be held in parallel on Thursday, 8 December, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the following themes:

Round table 1: The reform of the international monetary and financial system and its implications for development (Conference Room 2 (NLB));

Round table 2: The impact of the world financial and economic crisis on foreign direct investment and other private flows, external debt and international trade (Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)); and

Round table 3: The role of financial and technical development cooperation, including innovative sources of development finance, in leveraging the mobilization of domestic and international financial resources for development (Conference Room 4 (NLB)).

Each round table will be open to participation by representatives of all Member States; 10 representatives of observers, relevant entities of the United Nations system and other accredited intergovernmental organizations; 3 representatives of accredited civil society organizations; and 3 representatives of accredited business sector entities. Each representative may be accompanied by one adviser. No list of speakers will be established. Each oral statement should be limited to *three minutes*, although this will not preclude distribution of more extensive texts.

Informal interactive dialogue

An informal interactive dialogue will be held on Thursday, 8 December, from 3 to 5.45 p.m., on the theme "The link between financing for development and achieving the internationally agreed development goals, including the Millennium Development Goals", in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

The informal interactive dialogue will be open to participation by representatives of all Member States; 15 representatives of observers, relevant entities of the United Nations system and other accredited intergovernmental organizations; 5 representatives of accredited civil society organizations; and 5 representatives of accredited business sector entities. Each representative may be accompanied by one adviser. No list of speakers will be established. Each oral statement should be limited to *three minutes*, although this will not preclude distribution of more extensive texts.

Participation of Member States

Delegations of Member States and observers are reminded that the names of their members should be submitted, as *soon as possible*, to the United Nations Protocol and Liaison Service (tel. 1 (212) 963-7181; room NL-2058C; fax 1 (212) 963-1921).

Interested delegations are invited to nominate panelists to participate in the three interactive multi-stakeholder round tables and the informal interactive dialogue. The names and curricula vitae of the proposed candidates should be sent to the Financing for Development Office (e-mail fahmyh@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5900; room DC2-2154; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Registration of non-State entities

Registration of non-state entities and their inscription for participation in the round tables and in the informal interactive dialogue will be open *until* 6 p.m. on Monday, 5 December 2011.

Representatives of observers, relevant entities of the United Nations system and other accredited intergovernmental organizations are kindly requested to register with the United Nations Protocol and Liaison Service (tel. 1 (212) 963-7181; room NL-2058C; fax 1 (212) 963-1921). Representatives of these non-state entities wishing to participate in the round tables or the informal interactive dialogue should inscribe with the Financing for Development Office (e-mail kunzm@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5738; room DC2-2158; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Representatives of accredited civil society organizations are kindly requested to register with the United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service: <www.un-ngls.org/ffd>.

Representatives of accredited business sector entities wishing to register and to inscribe for participation in the round tables or the informal interactive dialogue are kindly requested to contact the Financing for Development Office (e-mail sharmak@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4451; room DC2-2160; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Side events

Delegations of Member States and accredited non-State entities wishing to organize side events are kindly requested to contact the Financing for Development Office (e-mail kunzm@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5738; room DC2-2158; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Detailed programme of the event is contained in the note by the Secretary-General on the proposed organization of work of the fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development (A/65/897). For further information, please refer to the Financing for Development Web site at <www.un.org/esa/ffd/hld/HLD2011/index.htm>.

General Assembly

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Executive Board
Second regular session

The 2011 second regular session of the Executive Board of UN-Women will take place from Monday, 5, to Wednesday, 7 December 2011, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional annotated agenda and workplan are contained in document UNW/2011/L.3. The UN-Women institutional budget estimates for 2012-2013 are contained in document UNW/2011/11.

Executive Board members and other Member States wishing to participate, in accordance with rule 16 (2) and (3) of the rules of procedure, are requested to submit their credentials (names and titles of each member of their delegation, on official letterhead), to the secretariat of the UN-Women Executive Board (e-mail rocio.torres@unwomen.org), as early as possible, and *no later than Thursday, 1 December 2011*. Requests to be inscribed on the list of speakers will be accommodated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations
Informal briefings

The Department of Field Support and the Department of Peacekeeping Operations will provide informal briefings, to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, as follows:

Tuesday, 6 December 2011, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB): on the global field support strategy; and

Friday, 9 December 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB): on capabilities.

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

The Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East will meet on Wednesday, 7 December 2011, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers are kindly requested to notify Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (e-mail cianciulli@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9277; room IN-615A).

Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development

Second intersessional meeting

The second open-ended informal intersessional meeting of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development will be held on Thursday, 15, and Friday, 16 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB). Members of permanent missions, United Nations staff, and representatives of intergovernmental organizations and major groups are

invited to attend. Background information on the session is available on the following Web site: <www.uncsd2012.org/>.

International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination

Meeting of States Parties
Twenty-fourth Meeting

The Twenty-fourth Meeting of States Parties to the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination will take place on Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The purpose of this meeting is to elect nine members of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination to replace those whose terms of office are due to expire on Thursday, 19 January 2012. The documents for the Meeting are CERD/SP/73, CERD/SP/74, CERD/SP/74/Add.1 and CERD/SP/2/Rev.1.

Quorum

Pursuant to article 8, paragraph 4, of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, the necessary quorum for the meeting is two-thirds of the States parties. In order to avoid a reoccurrence of past instances where meetings of the States parties have been substantially delayed or cancelled due to the lack of quorum, it is imperative that all States parties be present at the scheduled time of the meeting.

Credentials

Credentials should be submitted to the Secretary-General prior to the Meeting through the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights in New York (DC1-0504) to the attention of Mr. James Turpin. For more information, please visit the following Web site address <htpp://www2.ohchr.org/english/bodies/cerd/elections24.htm>.

Economic and Social Council

Resumed substantive session for 2011

The Economic and Social Council will hold the next meeting of its 2011 resumed substantive session on Monday, 5 December 2011, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), to hold elections to fill vacancies in the Commission for Social Development, the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN- Women), the Programme Coordinating Board of the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, the Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat), and the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission. The list of candidates for the elections is available on Candiweb at <www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal/home/pid/11312>. The Council will also take action on decision 49/101 recommended by the Commission for Social Development at its forty-ninth session (E/2011/26, chapter I, section C). The Council will further consider outstanding issues deferred from its 2011 substantive session.

Special event

The Economic and Social Council will hold a special event on "Cybersecurity and development" on Friday, 9 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). The meeting is organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), in collaboration with the International Telecommunications Union (ITU).

Welcoming remarks will be made by H.E. Mr. Lazarous Kapambwe (Zambia), President of the Council and Permanent Representative of Zambia, followed by addresses by Dr. Hamadoun I. Touré, Secretary-General of ITU, and H.E. Mr. Fortunato de la Peña, Under-Secretary for Science and Technology of the Philippines (by video link). An interactive panel discussion will then follow, on "An international framework to combat cybercrime and improve cybersecurity". Panellists will include Dr. Hamadoun I. Touré, Secretary-General of ITU; Ms. Cheri F. McGuire, Vice-President, Global Government Affairs and Cybersecurity Policy, Symantec Corporation; Mr. Mohd Noor Amin, Chair, Management Board IMPACT Malaysia; Ms. Deborah Taylor Tate, ITU Special Envoy and Laureate for Child Online Protection; and Ms. Simone Monasebian, Representative and Chief of the New York Office of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime. Mr. Gary Fowlie, Head of ITU Liaison Office in New York will serve as Moderator.

All are invited to attend. For further information on the event, please visit the following Web site: <http://www.un.org/en/ecosoc/cybersecurity/>; or contact Mr. Ajit Yogasundram (e-mail yogasundram@un.org).

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Informal consultations

The Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund will hold informal consultations as follows:

Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB): on the UNICEF strategic integrated framework for research and knowledge management;

Monday, 5 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB): on transparency and accountability; and

Monday, 19 December 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB): on the draft country programme document for South Sudan.

All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services

Informal consultation

There will be an informal consultation on the UNDP programming arrangements on Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Joint informal consultations

There will be a joint informal consultation of the Executive Boards of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services, and of the United Nations Children's Fund, on the lessons learned from the common country programme document process, on Monday, 12 December 2011, from 3 to 6 pm. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

A joint informal consultation of the United Nations Development Programme and the United Nations Population Fund, on the first draft country programme for South Sudan, will take place on Wednesday, 14 December 2011, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/66/251 and A/66/252.

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda sub-item 70 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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International Criminal Court

Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 8.45 to 9.30 a.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

New York Working Group of the Assembly of States Parties (briefing on the process to identify the next Prosecutor) (at the ambassadorial level)

Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Working Group on Amendments

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Group of Latin American and Caribbean States (monthly meeting)

Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Informal briefing on "Rio+20" (for States members of the Eastern European Group) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Croatia and the Czech Republic)

Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 3 to 4 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Informal briefing on "The *Human Development Report* — Concept, analysis, measurement and implications for policy development" (organized by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP))

Friday, 9 December 2011, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from *9.30 a.m.* to 1 p.m. and from *2.30* to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB); and

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[The meeting is closed. For further information, please contact the Office of Economic and Social Council Support and Coordination, DESA (Mr. Robert de Jesus (e-mail dejesus3@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2275); or Mr. Luis Chalico (e-mail chalico@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-4419)).]

Women's International Forum: Meeting on "The question of Palestine and the United Nations" (sponsored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Wednesday, 30 November 2011, from 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited to attend.]

DPI/NGO briefing on "Getting to zero: Youth and HIV/AIDS" (in observance of World AIDS Day)

Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 10.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Gail Bindley-Taylor Sainté, DPI (e-mail sainte@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9380).]

OLA/UNITAR seminar on "International treaty law and practice"

Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB); and

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

[Open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/event/new-york>. For further information, please contact Ms. Hélène Gandois, UNITAR (e-mail gandoish@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684).]

Panel discussion on "Indigenous children" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Australia and Peru)

Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Helen Horsington, Permanent Mission of Australia (e-mail helen.horsington@dfat.gov.au; tel. 1 (212) 351-6626).]

Special events on the occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities (organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Opening ceremony with the Deputy Secretary-General

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10 to 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Panel discussion I on "Towards inclusive development: Improving data and statistics on disability"

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10.30 to 11.45 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Panel discussion II on "Mainstreaming disability in the global development agenda: Experience in other development issues"

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 12 noon to 1.15 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

United Nations Enable Film Festival

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 1.15 to 4 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend the events. For further information, please contact Mr. Fred Doulton, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (e-mail doultonf@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4466; or click here.]

UNITAR/WTO seminar on "International trade law and policy"

Tuesday, 6 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB);

Wednesday, 7 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB);

Thursday, 8 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB); and

Friday, 9 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[Open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>. For further information, please contact Ms. Hélène Gandois, UNITAR (e-mail gandoish@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684).]

Screening of the film entitled "The Vision of a Secretary-General: Dag Hammarskjöld and the United Nations, 1953-1961" (organized by the Dag Hammarskjöld Library)

Tuesday, 6 December 2011, from 4 to 5.45 p.m., in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited to attend. For more information, please contact the Dag Hammarskjöld Library (Ms. Natalyn Bornales (e-mail bonalesn@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8791); or Ms. Nicoleta Voinea (e-mail voinean@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4708)).]

Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force (CTITF) (briefing by the Global Counterterrorism Forum (GCTF)) (organized by CTITF, Department of Political Affairs)

Friday, 9 December 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Fabrizio Trezza, CTITF (e-mail trezza@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4134.]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
United Nations Office at Geneva
(15 December 2011)

In accordance with the terms of General Assembly resolution 55/75 (A/RES/55/75), the Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees will be convened, on Thursday, 15 December 2011, at 10 a.m. in Room XVII, at the Palais des Nations, Geneva.

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions in Room DC2-1142, in English, on the dates indicated below. All interested are kindly requested to register by e-mail (librarytraining@un.org) or by telephone (1 (212) 963-5321).

United Nations Bibliographic Information System (UNBISnet) (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Today, 29 November 2011.

United Nations documentation (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Wednesday, 30 November 2011.

Official Documents System (ODS) (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Tuesday, 6 December 2011.

Electronic resources (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Thursday, 8 December 2011.

Foreign law (from 3 to 5 p.m., in the Legal Library)

Monday, 12 December 2011.

UNIQUE (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Tuesday, 13 December 2011.

United Nations documentation (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Wednesday, 14 December 2011.

United Nations Bibliographic Information System (UNBISnet) (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Thursday, 15 December 2011.

RSS feeds (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Tuesday, 20 December 2011.

Map collection (from 3 to 4.30 p.m., in the Map Library)

Tuesday, 20 December 2011; and

Thursday, 22 December 2011.

United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, 2012

Applications for the 2012 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, scheduled to be held at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands, from Monday, 9 July, to Friday, 17 August 2012, are now being accepted. The deadline for applications is *Friday, 10 February 2012*.

The Fellowship Programme will be conducted in French this year. For further information, including application forms, please consult the International Law Fellowship Programme Web site <www.un.org/law/ilfp>; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail ilfp@un.org).

Call for nominations of panellists for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission on the Status of Women — Extension of deadline

In preparation for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission on the Status of Women (27 February–9 March 2012), delegations are invited to propose names of expert panellists to participate in the two interactive panels on the priority theme "The empowerment of rural women and their role in poverty and hunger eradication, development and current challenges".

Delegations are invited to submit names and curricula vitae outlining the expertise and experience of the proposed candidate in relation to one of the areas above. Information should be sent to the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women) (e-mails qi.song@unwomen.org and diana.ranola@unwomen.org), *no later than Thursday, 1 December 2011*.

Nominations for United Nations Population Award

As stipulated in General Assembly resolution 36/201 of 17 December 1981 (A/RES/36/201) on the United Nations Population Award, Member States are annually requested to nominate an individual or institution that has made "an outstanding contribution to the awareness of population questions or to their solutions" for consideration for the annual Award by the Committee for the United Nations Population Award. The Award currently consists of a monetary prize of US$ 12,500, a gold medallion and a citation and is awarded separately to one individual and one institution, public, private or civil.

The Committee wishes to remind permanent missions that the deadline for submission of nominations for the 2012 Award, which would be awarded in June 2012, is Saturday, 31 December 2011.

Questions related to the United Nations Population Award can be directed to the Award secretariat (e-mail populationaward@unfpa.org; tel. 1 (212) 297-5088), or to the office of the Permanent Representative of Egypt, Chair of the Committee for the United Nations Population Award (e-mail egypt@un.int; tel. 1 (212) 503-0300).

UNITAR Fellowship Programme at Columbia University Law School and UNITAR Visitor Programme at New York University School of Law
January–April 2012 (spring term)

The Columbia University Law School, New York University School of Law and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research are pleased to invite delegates to the 2012 UNITAR Fellowship and Visitors Programmes for diplomats accredited to the United Nations.

Open to all delegates of the permanent missions. For further information and application, please visit the following Web site: <www.unitar.org/ny/international-law-and-policy/law-fellowship-at-nyu-columbia-university>. For additional queries, please contact Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail falls@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

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Web site of the presidency

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Recorded information

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Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

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All comments and suggestions about the *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 28 November 2011

Security Council

6669th meeting

The situation in Libya

Report of the Secretary-General on United Nations Support Mission in Libya (S/2011/727)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Libya, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Ian Martin, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Support Mission in Libya.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Martin.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal. Basel, 22 March 1989

Proposal of correction to Annex VIII of the Convention (28 November 2011)

Food Aid Convention, 1999. London, 13 April 1999

Extension of time-limit for the deposit of instruments of accession until 30 June 2012

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *November 2011* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
United Republic of Tanzania
H.E. Mr. Ombeni Sefue

Asia-Pacific States:
Japan
H.E. Mr. Tsuneo Nishida

Eastern European States:
Serbia
H.E. Mr. Feodor Starčević

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Cuba
H.E. Mr. Pedro Núñez Mosquera

Western European and other States:
New Zealand
H.E. Mr. Jim McLay

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General Assembly
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Department of Political Affairs
<www.un.org/depts/dpa>

Presidency of the Security Council
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Security Council
<www.un.org/Docs/sc/>

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
<www.un.org/en/sc/ctc/>

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)
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Department of Economic and Social Affairs
<www.un.org/en/development/desa/index.html>

Economic and Social Council
<www.un.org/en/ecosoc/>

Office for Disarmament Affairs
<www.un.org/disarmament/>

United Nations Treaty Collection
<http://treaties.un.org/>

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<www.un.org/law/avl/>

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International Court of Justice
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Journal of the United Nations
<www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp>

United Nations Press Releases
<www.un.org/en/unpress/index.asp>

United Nations Webcast
<www.unmultimedia.org/tv/webcast/index.html>

Yearbook of the United Nations
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UN Chronicle
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Documents issued at United Nations Headquarters on Monday, 28 November 2011

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A/RES/65/275	Item 15 — Resolution adopted by the General Assembly — International Day of Friendship [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

A/RES/65/278 — Item 62 (b) — Resolution adopted by the General Assembly — Implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Secretary-General on the causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa [A C E F R S] — *6 pages*

A/RES/65/282 — Item 163 — Resolution adopted by the General Assembly — Appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

Sixty-sixth session

A/66/7/Add.1 — Items 134 and 146 — Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 — Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of United Nations peacekeeping operations — Information and communications technology — Second report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 [A C E F R S] — *54 pages*

A/66/454 (Part I) — Item 27 — Social development — Report of the Third Committee [A C E F R S] — *9 pages*

A/66/563 — Item 134 — Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 — Request for a subvention to the Special Court for Sierra Leone — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *16 pages*

A/66/571 — Item 129 — International residual mechanism for criminal tribunals — Election of judges of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals — Memorandum by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*

Second Committee

A/C.2/66/L.41/Rev.1 — Item 19 — Sustainable development — Andorra, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Latvia, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Namibia, Nauru, Nepal, Netherlands, Norway, Palau, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America and Uruguay: revised draft resolution — Agricultural technology for development [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*

Security Council — **Documents**

S/2011/726 — Letter dated 18 November 2011 from the Permanent Representative of Portugal to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*

S/2011/727 — Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Support Mission in Libya [A C E F R S] — *13 pages*

S/2011/729 Letter dated 22 November 2011 from the Permanent Representative of Eritrea to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

General Assembly
Security Council

Documents

Peacebuilding Commission
Fifth session
Central African Republic configuration

PBC/5/CAF/1 Report of the Peacebuilding Commission mission to the Central African Republic, 10-15 October 2011 [A C E F R S] — *15 pages*

Economic and Social Council

Documents

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations
2012 regular session

E/C.2/2012/2/Add.17 Quadrennial reports for the period 2007-2010 submitted by non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council through the Secretary-General pursuant to Council resolution 1996/31 — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *25 pages*

Commission for Social Development
Fiftieth session

E/CN.5/2012/5 Item 3 (b) of the provisional agenda — Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly; review of the relevant United Nations plans and programmes of action pertaining to the situation of social groups — Second review and appraisal of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *18 pages*

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services

Documents

First regular session 2012

DP/2012/1 Item 1 of the provisional agenda — Organizational matters — Report of the second regular session 2011 (6 to 9 September 2011, New York) [A C E F R S] — *19 pages*

DP/FPA/2012/1 Item 5 of the provisional agenda — United Nations Population Fund — Financial, budgetary and administrative matters — Institutional budget estimates for 2012-2013 [A C E F R S] — *31 pages*

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Official meetings

Wednesday, 30 November 2011

Security Council

10 a.m. — 6672nd meeting — Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Implementation of the note by the President of the Security Council (S/2010/507)[1]

   Letter dated 18 November 2011 from the Permanent Representative of Portugal to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2011/726)

[1]Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*.

General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

10 a.m. — 68th plenary meeting — General Assembly Hall

1. Question of Palestine [37]
   (a) Report of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People (A/66/35)
   (b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/66/367–S/2011/585)
   (c) Draft resolutions (A/66/L.15, A/66/L.16, A/66/L.17 and A/66/L.18)
2. The situation in the Middle East [36]
   (a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/66/338 and A/66/367)
   (b) Draft resolutions (A/66/L.19 and A/66/L.20)

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General Assembly
Sixty-sixth session

Fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development
(7–8 December 2011)

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 65/314 of 12 September 2011 (A/RES/65/314), the fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development will be held on Wednesday, 7, and Thursday, 8 December 2011, at United Nations Headquarters (*see pp. 7–9 for compiete details*).

Survey of Conference Services

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Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia

3.15–6 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

General Assembly
Sixty-sixth session

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 134 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013: Enterprise information and communications technology and enterprise resource planning project, Umoja (A/66/94, A/66/381 and A/66/7/Add.1))

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

1. United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)
2. Executive meeting

International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination

Meeting of States Parties
Twenty-fourth Meeting

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . 1st meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . 2nd meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the Meeting by the representative of the Secretary-General
2. Election of the Chair
3. Adoption of the agenda (CERD/SP/73)
4. Election of other officers of the Meeting
5. Election of nine members of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination to replace those whose terms of office will expire on 19 January 2012, in accordance with article 8, paragraphs 1 to 5, of the Convention (CERD/SP/74)
6. Other matters

General Assembly

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Resumed twenty-eighth session

There will be closed meetings of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf *today*, 30 November 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m., at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Informal consultation

The Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund will hold an informal consultation on "Harnessing knowledge to achieve results for children: Strategic integrated framework for research and knowledge management", *today*, 30 November 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB). All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/66/251 and A/66/252.

Wednesday, 30 November 2011

Second Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/66/L.11, entitled "Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development" (under agenda item 18) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Other meetings

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International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

8.45–9.30 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Second Committee matters)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the draft resolution on strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations)

10.30 a.m.–12 noon . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

African Group (on Fifth Committee matters)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Informal briefing on "Rio+20" (for States members of the Eastern European Group) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Croatia and the Czech Republic)

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Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Wednesday, 30 November 2011

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

12 noon . . . . . Press briefing by the Spokesperson

12.30 p.m. . . . . Coalition for the International Criminal Court [*Speakers*: Mr. William Pace, Convenor, Coalition for the International Criminal Court; and Mr. Richard Dicker, Director, International Justice Programme, Human Rights Watch]

Message to our readers

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Announcement

Scanning the code appearing on the left side with the appropriate device will direct the readers to the Web site of the President of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly <www.un.org/en/ga/president/66>. For further information, please contact Mr. Mahmoud Ablan (e-mail ablanm@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4909).

Forthcoming official meetings

Thursday, 1 December 2011

General Assembly
Sixty-sixth session

10 a.m. . . . . 69th plenary meeting . . . . . General Assembly Hall

Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations; Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: joint debate . . . . . [120 and 121]

General Assembly
Sixty-sixth session

Programme of work

Since the issuance of the revised programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly (A/INF/66/3/Rev.1), the following changes have been made:

The reports of the First Committee will be considered on Friday, 2 December 2011, at 10 a.m.

The joint debate on agenda items 14 (Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields), 117 (Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit), 123 (a) (Strengthening of the United Nations system) and 124 (United Nations reform: measures and proposals), will be held on Friday, 2 December 2011, at 3 p.m.

The election of judges of the international residual mechanism for criminal tribunals, under agenda item 129, will be held on Friday, 16 December 2011[1], at 10 a.m. (Letter from the President of the Security Council addressed to the President of the General Assembly (A/66/564); and Memorandum by the Secretary-General (A/66/571)).

[1]On condition that the date of recess, currently set for Monday, 12 December, is postponed.

Agenda item 123 (b) (Central role of the United Nations system in global governance), originally scheduled for Friday, 2 December 2011, will be considered on Friday, 16 December, at 3 p.m.

Agenda item 34 (Prevention of armed conflict) and its sub-item (a) (Strengthening the role of mediation in the peaceful settlement of disputes, conflict prevention and resolution), originally scheduled for Monday, 12 December 2011, will be considered at a later date in the resumed part, to be announced.

The specific meeting focused on development, to be held under agenda item 117 (Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit), pursuant to resolution 60/265, has been postponed from Friday, 18 November 2011, to a date in the resumed part, to be announced.

The dates for the consideration of reports of the Main Committees will be announced in the *Journal*, as soon as they are decided upon.

Additional scheduling of items or changes in the programme of work will be announced in the *Journal* and on the Web site of the General Assembly <www.un.org/en/ga/info/meetings/66schedule.shtml>, and will be reflected in revised versions of the note by the President of the General Assembly.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Thursday, 1 December 2011, at 10 a.m. and at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

Fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 65/314 of 12 September 2011 (A/RES/65/314), the fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development will be held on Wednesday, 7, and Thursday, 8 December 2011, at United Nations Headquarters. The overall theme of the Dialogue will be "The Monterrey Consensus and Doha Declaration on Financing for Development: Status of implementation and tasks ahead".

Plenary meetings

The Dialogue will include four plenary meetings. Three plenary meetings will be held on Wednesday, 7 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m., and on Thursday, 8 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., in the General Assembly Hall. A short closing plenary meeting will be held on Thursday, 8 December, at 5.45 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Should the list of speakers so require, provisions will be made for an additional plenary meeting on Thursday, 8 December, from 3 to 6 p.m.

List of speakers

The list of speakers for the plenary meetings is open. Inscriptions are taken on a first-come, first-served basis, and will be rearranged in accordance with the established practice of the General Assembly. Delegations are reminded that interventions in the plenary meetings should be limited to *five minutes* for individual Member States and *seven minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States, on the understanding that this will not preclude the distribution of more extensive texts.

Delegations wishing to speak in the plenary meetings are kindly requested to inscribe with the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail heddachem@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; room IN-613A; fax 1 (212) 963-3783).

Round tables

The Dialogue will include three interactive multi-stakeholder round tables to be held in parallel on Thursday, 8 December, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the following themes:

Round table 1: The reform of the international monetary and financial system and its implications for development (Conference Room 2 (NLB));

Round table 2: The impact of the world financial and economic crisis on foreign direct investment and other private flows, external debt and international trade (Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)); and

Round table 3: The role of financial and technical development cooperation, including innovative sources of development finance, in leveraging the mobilization of domestic and international financial resources for development (Conference Room 4 (NLB)).

Each round table will be open to participation by representatives of all Member States; 10 representatives of observers, relevant entities of the United Nations system and other accredited intergovernmental organizations; 3 representatives of accredited civil society organizations; and 3 representatives of accredited business sector entities. Each representative may be accompanied by one adviser. No list of speakers will be established. Each oral statement should be limited to *three minutes*, although this will not preclude distribution of more extensive texts.

Informal interactive dialogue

An informal interactive dialogue will be held on Thursday, 8 December, from 3 to 5.45 p.m., on the theme "The link between financing for development and achieving the internationally agreed development goals, including the Millennium Development Goals", in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

The informal interactive dialogue will be open to participation by representatives of all Member States; 15 representatives of observers, relevant entities of the United Nations system and other accredited intergovernmental organizations; 5 representatives of accredited civil society organizations; and 5 representatives of accredited business sector entities. Each representative may be accompanied by one adviser. No list of speakers will be established. Each oral statement should be limited to *three minutes*, although this will not preclude distribution of more extensive texts.

Participation of Member States

Delegations of Member States and observers are reminded that the names of their members should be submitted, as *soon as possible*, to the United Nations Protocol and Liaison Service (tel. 1 (212) 963-7181; room NL-2058C; fax 1 (212) 963-1921).

Interested delegations are invited to nominate panelists to participate in the three interactive multi-stakeholder round tables and the informal interactive dialogue. The names and curricula vitae of the proposed candidates should be sent to the Financing for Development Office (e-mail fahmyh@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5900; room DC2-2154; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Registration of non-State entities

Registration of non-state entities and their inscription for participation in the round tables and in the informal interactive dialogue will be open *until* 6 p.m. on Monday, 5 December 2011.

Representatives of observers, relevant entities of the United Nations system and other accredited intergovernmental organizations are kindly requested to register with the United Nations Protocol and Liaison Service (tel. 1 (212) 963-7181; room NL-2058C; fax 1 (212) 963-1921). Representatives of these non-state entities wishing to participate in the round tables or the informal interactive dialogue should inscribe with the Financing for Development Office (e-mail kunzm@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5738; room DC2-2158; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Representatives of accredited civil society organizations are kindly requested to register with the United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service: <www.un-ngls.org/ffd>.

Representatives of accredited business sector entities wishing to register and to inscribe for participation in the round tables or the informal interactive dialogue are kindly requested to contact the Financing for Development Office (e-mail sharmak@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4451; room DC2-2160; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Side events

Delegations of Member States and accredited non-State entities wishing to organize side events are kindly requested to contact the Financing for Development Office (e-mail kunzm@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5738; room DC2-2158; fax 1 (212) 963-0443).

Detailed programme of the event is contained in the note by the Secretary-General on the proposed organization of work of the fifth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development (A/65/897). For further information, please refer to the Financing for Development Web site at <www.un.org/esa/ffd/hld/HLD2011/index.htm>.

General Assembly

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Executive Board

Informal consultation

There will be an informal consultation of the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women) on the draft decision on the institutional budget estimates 2012-2013, on Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Second regular session

The 2011 second regular session of the Executive Board of UN-Women will take place from Monday, 5, to Wednesday, 7 December 2011, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional annotated agenda and workplan are contained in document UNW/2011/L.3. The UN-Women institutional budget estimates for 2012-2013 are contained in document UNW/2011/11.

Executive Board members and other Member States wishing to participate, in accordance with rule 16 (2) and (3) of the rules of procedure, are requested to submit their credentials (names and titles of each member of their delegation, on official letterhead), to the secretariat of the UN-Women Executive Board (e-mail rocio.torres@unwomen.org), as early as possible, and *no later than Thursday, 1 December 2011*. Requests to be inscribed on the list of speakers will be accommodated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations
Informal briefings

The Department of Field Support and the Department of Peacekeeping Operations will provide informal briefings, to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, as follows:

Tuesday, 6 December 2011, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB): on the global field support strategy; and

Friday, 9 December 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB): on capabilities.

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

The Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East will meet on Wednesday, 7 December 2011, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers are kindly requested to notify Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (e-mail cianciulli@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9277; room IN-615A).

International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families

Meeting of States Parties
Fifth Meeting

The Fifth Meeting of States Parties of the International Convention on the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families will take place on Thursday, 8 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB). The purpose of this meeting is to elect seven members of the Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families to replace those whose terms of office are due to expire on 31 December 2011. The documents for the Meeting are CMW/SP/10, CMW/SP/11 and CMW/SP/3.

Pursuant to article 72, paragraph 4, of the Convention, the necessary quorum for the meeting is two-thirds of the States parties. In order to avoid a reoccurrence of past instances where meetings of the States parties have been substantially delayed or cancelled due to the lack of quorum, it is imperative that all States parties be present at the scheduled time of the meeting.

Credentials should be submitted to the Secretary-General prior to the Meeting through the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights in New York (DC1-0591), to the attention of Ms. Laila Bourhil.

For more information, please click here.

Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development

Second intersessional meeting

The second open-ended informal intersessional meeting of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development will be held on Thursday, 15, and Friday, 16 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB). Members of permanent missions, United Nations staff, and representatives of intergovernmental organizations and major groups are invited to attend. Background information on the session is available on the following Web site: <www.uncsd2012.org/>.

Economic and Social Council

Resumed substantive session for 2011

The Economic and Social Council will hold the next meeting of its 2011 resumed substantive session on Monday, 5 December 2011, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), to hold elections to fill vacancies in the Commission for Social Development, the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women), the Programme Coordinating Board of the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, the Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat), and the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission. The list of candidates for the elections is available on Candiweb at <www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal/home/pid/11312>. The Council will also take action on decision 49/101 recommended by the Commission for Social Development at its forty-ninth session (E/2011/26, chapter I, section C). The Council will further consider outstanding issues deferred from its 2011 substantive session.

Special event

The Economic and Social Council will hold a special event on "Cybersecurity and development" on Friday, 9 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). The meeting is organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), in collaboration with the International Telecommunications Union (ITU).

Welcoming remarks will be made by H.E. Mr. Lazarous Kapambwe (Zambia), President of the Council and Permanent Representative of Zambia, followed by addresses by Dr. Hamadoun I. Touré, Secretary-General of ITU, and H.E. Mr. Fortunato

de la Peña, Under-Secretary for Science and Technology of the Philippines (by video link). An interactive panel discussion will then follow, on "An international framework to combat cybercrime and improve cybersecurity". Panellists will include Dr. Hamadoun I. Touré, Secretary-General of ITU; Ms. Cheri F. McGuire, Vice-President, Global Government Affairs and Cybersecurity Policy, Symantec Corporation; Mr. Mohd Noor Amin, Chair, Management Board IMPACT Malaysia; Ms. Deborah Taylor Tate, ITU Special Envoy and Laureate for Child Online Protection; and Ms. Simone Monasebian, Representative and Chief of the New York Office of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime. Mr. Gary Fowlie, Head of ITU Liaison Office in New York will serve as Moderator.

All are invited to attend. For further information on the event, please visit the following Web site: <http://www.un.org/en/ecosoc/cybersecurity/>; or contact Mr. Ajit Yogasundram (e-mail yogasundram@un.org).

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Informal consultations

The Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund will hold informal consultations as follows:

Monday, 5 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB): on transparency and accountability; and

Monday, 19 December 2011, from 3 to *4.30 p.m.* in Conference Room 6 (NLB): on the draft country programme document for South Sudan.

All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services

Informal consultation

There will be an informal consultation on the UNDP programming arrangements on Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Joint informal consultation

There will be a joint informal consultation of the Executive Boards of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services, and of the United Nations Children's Fund, on the lessons learned from the common country programme document process, on Monday, 12 December 2011, from 3 to 6 pm. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/66/251 and A/66/252.

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda sub-item 70 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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International Criminal Court

New York Working Group of the Assembly of States Parties (briefing on the process to identify the next Prosecutor) (at the ambassadorial level)

Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Working Group on Amendments

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Informal open-ended consultations with Member States by the Chair-Designate of the upcoming Preparatory Committee for the 2012 United Nations Conference to Review Progress Made in the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects

Thursday, 8 December 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Informal briefing on "The *Human Development Report* — Concept, analysis, measurement and implications for policy development" (organized by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP))

Friday, 9 December 2011, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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OLA/UNITAR seminar on "International treaty law and practice"

Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB); and

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

[Open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/event/new-york>. For further information, please contact Ms. Hélène Gandois, UNITAR (e-mail gandoish@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684).]

DPI/NGO briefing on "Getting to zero: Youth and HIV/AIDS" (in observance of World AIDS Day)

Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 10.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Gail Bindley-Taylor Sainte, DPI (e-mail sainte@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9380).]

Panel discussion on "Indigenous children" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Australia and Peru)

Thursday, 1 December 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Helen Horsington, Permanent Mission of Australia (e-mail helen.horsington@dfat.gov.au; tel. 1 (212) 351-6626).]

Special events on the occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities (organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Opening ceremony with the Deputy Secretary-General

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10 to 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Panel discussion I on "Towards inclusive development: Improving data and statistics on disability"

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10.30 to 11.45 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Panel discussion II on "Mainstreaming disability in the global development agenda: Experience in other development issues"

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 12 noon to 1.15 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

United Nations Enable Film Festival

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 1.15 to 4 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend the events. For further information, please contact Mr. Fred Doulton, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (e-mail doultonf@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4466; or click here.]

2011 Forum on the Diaspora Economy (co-organized by the Office of the President of the General Assembly, the Permanent Mission of Benin and the Office of the Special Adviser to the Secretary-General on Africa)

Friday, 2 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Hervé Barboza, Permanent Mission of Benin (e-mail barozi123@yahoo.fr; tel. 1 (917) 915-0484).]

Panel discussion on "Special features of dispute settlement in the law of the sea" (with the President of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea) (organized by the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization (AALCO))

Monday, 5 December 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contat Mr. Roy S. Lee, AALCO (e-mail royslee@optonline.net; tel. 1 (212) 734-7608).]

UNITAR/WTO seminar on "International trade law and policy"

Tuesday, 6 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB);

Wednesday, 7 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB);

Thursday, 8 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB); and

Friday, 9 December 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[Open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>. For further information, please contact Ms. Hélène Gandois, UNITAR (e-mail gandoish@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684).]

Screening of the film entitled "The Vision of a Secretary-General: Dag Hammarskjöld and the United Nations, 1953-1961" (organized by the Dag Hammarskjöld Library)

Tuesday, 6 December 2011, from 4 to 5.45 p.m., in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited to attend. For more information, please contact the Dag Hammarskjöld Library (Ms. Natalyn Bornales (e-mail bonalesn@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7311); or Ms. Nicoleta Voinea (e-mail voinean@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4708)).]

Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force (CTITF) (briefing by the Global Counterterrorism Forum (GCTF)) (organized by CTITF, Department of Political Affairs)

Friday, 9 December 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Fabrizio Trezza, CTITF (e-mail trezza@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4134.]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
United Nations Office at Geneva
(15 December 2011)

In accordance with the terms of General Assembly resolution 55/75 (A/RES/55/75), the Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees will be convened, on Thursday, 15 December 2011, at 10 a.m. in Room XVII, at the Palais des Nations, Geneva.

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions in Room DC2-1142, in English, on the dates indicated below. All interested are kindly requested to register by e-mail (librarytraining@un.org) or by telephone (1 (212) 963-5321).

United Nations documentation (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Today, 30 November 2011.

Official Documents System (ODS) (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Tuesday, 6 December 2011.

Electronic resources (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Thursday, 8 December 2011.

Foreign law (from 3 to 5 p.m., in the Legal Library)

Monday, 12 December 2011.

UNIQUE (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Tuesday, 13 December 2011.

United Nations documentation (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Wednesday, 14 December 2011.

United Nations Bibliographic Information System (UNBISnet) (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Thursday, 15 December 2011.

RSS feeds (from 10 a.m. to 12 noon)

Tuesday, 20 December 2011.

Map collection (from 3 to 4.30 p.m., in the Map Library)

Tuesday, 20 December 2011; and

Thursday, 22 December 2011.

United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, 2012

Applications for the 2012 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, scheduled to be held at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands, from Monday, 9 July, to Friday, 17 August 2012, are now being accepted. The deadline for applications is *Friday, 10 February 2012*.

The Fellowship Programme will be conducted in French this year. For further information, including application forms, please consult the International Law Fellowship Programme Web site <www.un.org/law/ilfp>; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail ilfp@un.org).

Call for nominations of panellists for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission on the Status of Women — Extension of deadline

In preparation for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission on the Status of Women (27 February–9 March 2012), delegations are invited to propose names of expert panellists to participate in the two interactive panels on the priority theme "The empowerment of rural women and their role in poverty and hunger eradication, development and current challenges".

Delegations are invited to submit names and curricula vitae outlining the expertise and experience of the proposed candidate in relation to one of the areas above. Information should be sent to the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women) (e-mails qi.song@unwomen.org and diana.ranola@unwomen.org), *no later than Thursday, 1 December 2011*.

Nominations for United Nations Population Award

As stipulated in General Assembly resolution 36/201 of 17 December 1981 (A/RES/36/201) on the United Nations Population Award, Member States are annually requested to nominate an individual or institution that has made "an outstanding contribution to the awareness of population questions or to their solutions" for consideration for the annual Award by the Committee for the United Nations Population Award. The Award currently consists of a monetary prize of US$ 12,500, a gold medallion and a citation and is awarded separately to one individual and one institution, public, private or civil.

The Committee wishes to remind permanent missions that the deadline for submission of nominations for the 2012 Award, which would be awarded in June 2012, is Saturday, 31 December 2011.

Questions related to the United Nations Population Award can be directed to the Award secretariat (e-mail populationaward@unfpa.org; tel. 1 (212) 297-5088), or to the office of the Permanent Representative of Egypt, Chair of the Committee for the United Nations Population Award (e-mail egypt@un.int; tel. 1 (212) 503-0300).

UNITAR Fellowship Programme at Columbia University Law School and UNITAR Visitor Programme at New York University School of Law

January–April 2012 (spring term)

The Columbia University Law School, New York University School of Law and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research are pleased to invite delegates to the 2012 UNITAR Fellowship and Visitors Programmes for diplomats accredited to the United Nations.

Open to all delegates of the permanent missions. For further information and application, please visit the following Web site: <www.unitar.org/ny/international-law-and-policy/law-fellowship-at-nyu-columbia-university>. For additional queries, please contact Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail falls@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the Journal of the United Nations

Back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: <www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp> and <www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp>.

All comments and suggestions about the *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 29 November 2011

Security Council

6670th meeting

Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (S/2011/675)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Serbia, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Farid Zarif, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Interim Administration in Kosovo.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the president extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Enver Hoxhaj.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Farid Zarif.

The Council heard a statement by H.E. Mr. Vuk Jeremić, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Serbia.

The Council heard a statement by Mr. Enver Hoxhaj.

Statements were made by the representatives of India, the United States, the United Kingdom, China, Nigeria, France, the Russian Federation, Germany, Lebanon, South Africa, Colombia, Brazil, Gabon and Bosnia and Herzegovina, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Portugal.

6671st meeting

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2011/737, submitted by France.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2011/737) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2011/737) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions, and was adopted unanimously as resolution 2021 (2011).

General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

67th plenary meeting

Question of Palestine ..... [37]

(a) Report of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People (A/66/35)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/66/367)

(c) Draft resolutions (A/66/L.15, A/66/L.16, A/66/L.17 and A/66/L.18)

The President made a statement.

H.E. Mr. Abdou Salam Diallo, Chair of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People, made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolutions A/66/L.15, A/66/L.16, A/66/L.17 and A/66/L.18.

H.E. Mr. Saviour Borg, Rapporteur of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People, made a statement, in the course of which he introduced the report of the Committee (A/66/35).

The observer of Palestine made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Egypt (on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement), the European Union (also on behalf of the candidate countries Croatia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro and Iceland; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania and Serbia; as well as Ukraine and the Republic of Moldova, which aligned themselves with the statement), South Africa (also on behalf of Brazil and India), the Syrian Arab Republic, the United Arab Emirates, Kuwait, Israel, Lebanon, Iceland, Indonesia, Cuba and Oman.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Kuwait and the Syrian Arab Republic.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

19th meeting

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 . . . . . [134]

Enterprise information and communications technology and enterprise resource planning project, Umoja

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

The Assistant Secretary-General, Controller, introduced the report of the Secretary-General on enterprise information and communications technology initiatives for the United Nations Secretariat (A/66/94); and the third progress report of the Secretary-General on the enterprise resource planning project (A/66/381).

A statement, on behalf of the Deputy Secretary-General, was made by the Assistant Secretary-General of the Department of Field Support.

The Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/66/7/Add.1).

Statements were made by the representatives of the European Union (on behalf of the candidate countries Croatia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro and Iceland; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Serbia; as well as Ukraine and the Republic of Moldova, which aligned themselves with the statement), Australia (also on behalf of Canada and New Zealand), Switzerland (also on behalf of Liechtenstein), the Republic of Korea, Japan, the United States and the Russian Federation.

The Chair, the Assistant Secretary-General, Controller, and the Assistant Secretary-General of the Department of Field Support made concluding remarks.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion on this question.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on this question would be coordinated by Mr. Conrod Hunte (Antigua and Barbuda) in the context of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013.

General Assembly

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

337th meeting

International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People

The Chair of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People made a statement.

The President of the General Assembly made a statement.

The Deputy Secretary-General made a statement.

The President of the Security Council made a statement.

The Permanent Observer for Palestine read out a message from H.E. Mr. Mahmoud Abbas, Chair of the Executive Committee of the Palestine Liberation Organization and President of the Palestinian Authority.

The Chair of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories made a statement.

The representative of Egypt read a message from the Head of the Supreme Council of the Armed Forces of the Arab Republic of Egypt, on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement.

The representative of Kazakhstan read a message from the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan, in his capacity as Chair of the Thirty-eighth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers.

The observer for the League of Arab States read a message from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States.

A statement was made by the Permanent Observer of the African Union.

The President of Americans United for Palestinian Human Rights made a statement, on behalf of civil society organizations active on the question of Palestine.

Messages on the occasion were received from the Heads of State of the following countries: Afghanistan, Argentina, Bahrain, Belarus, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Guinea, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Morocco, Namibia, Pakistan, Qatar, Russian Federation, Senegal, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Turkey, United Arab Emirates and Viet Nam.

Messages were received from the Heads of Government of China, India and Malaysia.

Messages were received from the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the following countries: Belarus, Cuba, Japan, Madagascar, Saudi Arabia, Syrian Arab Republic and Tunisia.

A message was received from the Government of Oman.

Messages were received from the European Union and the Organization of Islamic Cooperation.

A message was also received from the Presbyterian Ministry at the United Nations, a civil society organization.

A statement was made by the Permanent Observer of Palestine to the United Nations.

Concluding remarks were made by the Chair of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.

Corrigendum

General Assembly
Sixty-sixth session

Main Committees

Third Committee

Corrigendum to the summary of the 59th meeting of the Third Committee (see *Journal* No. 2011/227, p. 17): The third paragraph under "Action on draft resolution A/C.3/66/L.25/Rev.1" *should read* as follows:

> Algeria, Andorra, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Benin, Burkina Faso, Canada, the Comoros, the Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, Ethiopia, Guinea, India, Israel, Jordan, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Liberia, Madagascar, Maldives, Mali, Mauritania, Micronesia (Federated States of), Mongolia, Morocco, Namibia, New Zealand, Nigeria, the Philippines, Rwanda, the Russian Federation, Senegal, Swaziland, Tajikistan, Tunisia, the United States of America, Vanuatu and Zimbabwe joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Protocol to the 1979 Convention on long-range transboundary air pollution concerning the control of emissions of nitrogen oxides or their transboundary fluxes. Sofia, 31 October 1988

Ratification: Poland (23 November 2011)[1]

United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods. Vienna, 11 April 1980

Declaration under article 94: Finland

Withdrawal of declaration made upon ratification under article 92: Finland (28 November 2011)[1]

Amendments to Annexes V and VII of Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution on Persistent Organic Pollutants. Geneva, 18 December 2009

Acceptance: Canada (23 November 2011)[1]

[1] Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

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H.E. Mr. Ombeni Sefue

Asia-Pacific States:
Japan
H.E. Mr. Tsuneo Nishida

Eastern European States:
Serbia
H.E. Mr. Feodor Starčević

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Cuba
H.E. Mr. Pedro Núñez Mosquera

Western European and other States:
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H.E. Mr. Jim McLay

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